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PATENT

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In re application of: Carsten Momma, Andreas Becker, Robert Schmiedl, and Bernd Heublein

Application No.: 10/630,355

Group No.: 3738

Filed: 07/30/2003

Examiner: Brian E. Pellegrino

For: ENDOVASCULAR IMPLANT FOR THE INJECTION OF AN ACTIVE SUBSTANCE INTO
THE MEDIA OF A BLOOD VESSELMail Stop Amendment
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is other than a small entity.

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EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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TOTAL	28	-	32	=	0	x	\$	50.00	= \$ 0.00
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FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM						+	\$	180.0	= \$ 0.00
TOTAL								ADDIT. FEE	\$ 0.00

No additional fee for claims is required.

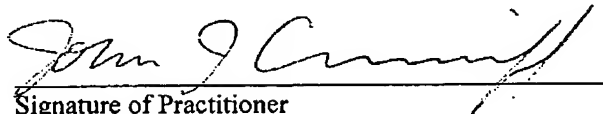
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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION
(37 CFR 1.116)

In response to the final Office Action mailed 30 November 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION – none;
AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS – begin on page 2.
AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS - none.
REMARKS/ARGUMENTS – begin on page 7.

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